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Takahiro Ohashi et al.

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For: CARD GAME SYSTEM AND CARD USED
IN THE CARD SYSTEM

Examiner: S. Rowland

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE AFTER FINAL OFFICE ACTION
SUBMITTED CONCURRENTLY WITH REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION**

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Dear Sir/Madam:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated December 15, 2011, enclosed herein a Request for Continued Examination, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.